

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	of: Masato TANAKA, et al.
Serial No.:	09/649,539
Filed:	August 28, 2000
For:	POSITION DETECTION APPARATUS AND ARITHMETIC PROCESSING UNIT
Group A.U.:	2857
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the initial examination of the aboveidentified application, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Please amend the Abstract of the Disclosure by rewriting same to read as follows:

noise component is removed from an angle signal obtained by performing polar conversion with respect to a